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INTERMINGLING OF THE COMMUNITIES

The 'Crows' Nest Pass Musical Festival has again gone into the realms of the past and in passing left in the hearts and minds of all directly and indirectly concerned, the varied gratifications, distinctions, or disappointments that all aspirants are heir to. Of the latter there become more or less a personal matter and are quickly forgotten by the community in general, but the achievements stand out in a different category—become something to which all lay claim in an impersonal way. One feels closely akin to the instructor or leader in mutual admiration and gratification.

It was with a similar realization that the Pythian Sisters' Cup donated in 1927 by Greenhill No. 10 Pythian Sisters, Blairmore, was with due ceremony replaced on its stand in the United church on Sunday morning. The pastor had spoken very fittingly on the subject of trophies, and expressed his pleasure in having the honor of thus restoring the cup, a symbol of achievement, to its accustomed place, following the challenge of fair and just competition. The cup had been won in 1928 by the Junior Choir of Blairmore, was not competed for in 1929, was won in 1930, 1931 and 1932 by the Junior Choir of the United church here and has become their property.

Mr. Whitmore, in his remarks, expressed his pleasure also in the evidence of good sportsmanship throughout the festival and the comradeship evolved in the intermingling of the communities in their mutual interest in music, an outstanding act from which so much pleasure and enjoyment is derived.

In a general report of the festival the winners of the High School Choir and the individual winners are also enumerated and a like pride and gratification is felt in each instance.

Willis Pincher Creek occupies the third place in the total winnings, the reduction is easily accounted for in the fact that quite a number hitherto taking part have gone on into the other studies and activities, and while the younger students progress, fitting themselves for the future festivals, Pincher Creek will heartily enjoy the circumstances of Hillcrest and Blairmore, for the moment basking in the sun.—Pincher Creek Echo.

SCREEN FAVORITE

AT BELLEVUE THIS WEEK IN ROMANTIC HIT

Robert Montgomery is starred by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer in 'Lovers Courageous,' which will open tonight at Cole's Theatre, Bellevue. The picture, a romantic comedy, was written especially for the young favorite by the noted English playwright, Frederick Lonsdale.

Madge Evans, who recently scored in 'Guilty Hands' and 'Son of India,' has the feminine lead and the large supporting cast includes Lila Young, last seen in 'The Guardsman,' Frederick Kerr, Reginald Owen, Beryl Mercer, Evelyn Hall, Halliwell Hobbes, Jackie Searle, Norman Phillips, Jr. and Alan Mowbray.

FIFTY NATIONS TO COMPETE IN LOS ANGELES OLYMPICS

Extensive preparations are being made in Los Angeles for the Olympic Games, which will be held there commencing Saturday, July 30th, concluding on August 14th. The Olympic village, which will house 2,000 athletes from 50 nations of the world, began taking definite form last week in a wide amphitheatre which recently was an expanse of wild grass and rolling valley. The capacity of the stadium is 105,000 persons.

It will probably be a good many years before these Olympic games

MOTHER OF MRS

G. G. COOTE DIES AT NANTON, AGED 95

Mrs. Mary McKinnon, widow of the late Donald McKinnon and mother of John A. McKinnon and Mrs. Flora McIntyre, Mrs. G. G. Coote and Mrs. P. C. Loree, of Nanton, and Mrs. R. W. Ferris, of LaCrosse, Washington, died at her home in Nanton Monday evening, April 4, at the age of 95 years, 3 months and 11 days. Her death was due to old age, the contributory cause being heart dilation. Up to about two years ago Mrs. McKinnon had enjoyed 'remarkably good health for her age' and her mental and physical vigor was commented on by her friends. About that time she had a severe attack of influenza, and also sustained a broken ankle. Although she recovered from her sickness and accident, her health has been falling since that time.

She and Mr. McKinnon were pioneers of eastern Oregon, going there from Ontario in 1875.

Mary McKinnon was born, December 24, 1836, near Martintown, Glengarry, Ontario. She was married to Donald McKinnon at Stoughton, Grey county, Ont., April 11, 1867. In the fall of 1875 they left with their family for Oregon, going by rail to Utah, and from there by covered wagon to their destination. They located at Weston, Oregon, and lived there until the fall of 1910, when they moved to Nanton, where she made her home until her death.

Her daughter, Billa, died at Weston, Ore., September 7, 1891 and her husband died in Nanton January 20, 1917.

She is survived by a sister Mrs. Margaret McNaughton of Clengarry, Ont., and four daughters—Mrs. P. C. Loree, Flora McIntyre, Mrs. G. G. Coote, of Nanton, and Mrs. R. W. Ferris, of LaCrosse, Wash.; one son, J. A. McKinnon, of Nanton; twelve grandchildren, and eleven great-grandchildren.

Mrs. McKinnon was a lifelong member of the Baptist church.

The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon from the Baptist church. Mr. Coote is in Ottawa attending parliament, and the other members of the family are here.—Nanton News.

THAT INCOME TAX

The unfair features of the provincial income tax are the extremely low exemption rates and the government's decision to make the levy on last year's incomes.

Many persons who had a taxable income last year are now out of employment and either receiving relief or living on what little savings they may have. To levy an income tax on these people is obviously unfair.

It is hardly fair, in any event, to tax without warning an income that was earned and spent long ago.

Had there been warning twelve months ago that an income tax would be levied, those with taxable incomes could have made provision for payment. The tax today catches them unexpectedly, and makes it doubly hard to finance at a time when the federal income tax is increased and the sales tax increased, which will raise the cost of living.

The surtax or filing fee of \$3.40 and the low exemption rate of \$756 for single persons and \$1500 for married persons will work a hardship on many who at present are just able to 'get by.'

It would seem that the burden which the government is placing on the shoulders of persons with small incomes could more easily be borne by those with large incomes.—Bassano Mail.

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We wish this week to thank Mrs. J. J. Weaver and Mr. Ed. Royle for splendid donations of books.

The library hours are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7 to 9 p.m., and Saturdays from 7 to 10 p.m. The fees are \$1.00 per year for residents and \$2.00 per year for non-residents.

At the annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association, held at Montreal on April 11th, it was decided that the Allan cup finals next year will be played in Vancouver.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Commercial telephone service has been established between France and Buenos Aires.

The Prince of Wales attended a dinner given by the Pilgrim Society to Andrew W. Mellon, new United States ambassador to Great Britain.

Italy has signed a treaty with Russia which binds the Soviet to buy \$12,000,000 of Italian products during the year.

A new "lingering" anesthetic which continues to kill pain after an operation, but has no habit-forming power was reported to the American Chemical Society.

The will of John Philip Sousa, famous bandmaster, was filed, leaving his entire estate to his wife and three children. The estate was valued in the will at "more than \$200,000."

Mahatma Gandhi's adopted daughter, Bai Laxmi, 18, an "untouchable," was sentenced to two months imprisonment at hard labor for activities in the civil disobedience campaign.

Howard Nicholson, professional attached to the Granite Club of Toronto, won the open professional figure skating championship of Great Britain at Oxford.

Taking of a plebiscite on abolition of beer parlors will be recommended by the Alberta government next year, providing general conditions improve, Premier Brownlee says.

Great Britain's unemployed on March 21 totalled 2,567,532, which was 113,641 less than the month before and 12,786 less than at the same time last year. The improvement was noticeable in nearly all industries.

Preserve Virgin Timberland

Frank J. Barnjum Acquires Large Tract On Vancouver Island

Another large tract of virgin timberland on Vancouver Island will be preserved for posterity through the generosity of Frank J. Barnjum, Montreal philanthropist and tree conservationist. Two thousand acres of timbered land on the Cowichan River has been acquired by Mr. Barnjum from its owners. The property is a beautiful park area replete with rivers, streams and lakes, with wild life in the woods and fish in the streams. The purchase makes Mr. Barnjum the largest holder of big timber on that river.

Pomous Employer—"We have 3,000 workers here."

New Office Boy—"Including me or before I came?"

Robert Bruce, Scottish king, was a leper.



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Canada's Merchant Marine

Recorded Better Financial Operating Results For 1931 Than Previous Year

Canada's merchant marine recorded better financial operating results for 1931. The deficit of \$534,210.59 in 1930 was cut down to \$444,355.33 in the past year. The financial improvement of \$89,855.26 is shown in the 1931 report of the Canadian government merchant marine tables in the House of Commons by Dr. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canada.

Both operating expenses and revenues decreased. "The reduction in operating expenses reflects the smaller number of voyages as well as the effort to reduce expenses to a minimum consistent with safety," the report states. There were no major accidents in connection with the operation of the fleet during the past year.

Out For Speed Record

Frenchman Hopes To Try Racing Car At Daytona Beach

M. Stepp, French inventor of a racing motor car which he claims will travel from 325 to 385 miles per hour, said he hoped to take his machine to Daytona Beach, Fla., to attempt to beat the 253.97 miles per hour record recently set by Sir Malcolm Campbell, British driver. The inventor said the car's initial try-out at Chateau was successful.

Powered by three aero engines of 300-horse-power each, and placed to form a motor turbine, the racer in bench tests developed 22,000 revolutions per minute for 57 hours. The car has a smaller engine to start it and set the three large motors going.



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Fashion

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Success After Five Years

Young Professor At Pittsburgh Has Isolated "Vitamin C"

A young professor of chemistry at the University of Pittsburgh announced recently: "We have isolated and identified vitamin C."

For five years, Dr. C. C. King, not quite 35, and his associates, have labored for a solution long sought by research scientists.

He explained he had concentrated the vitamin from lemon juice.

Vitamin "C" is plentiful in lemons, oranges, tomatoes, potatoes and certain other vegetables and fruits.

Its effect upon the human body also have been known for quite some time, Dr. King said, but how it accomplishes its tasks has remained a mystery.

Also it was known that lack of vitamin "C" in the diet of humans resulted in scurvy and forms of malnutrition.

Drought and Grasshoppers

Scientific Research Has Proved They Are Co-Workers

Two of the farmers' most vicious enemies—drought and grasshoppers—are co-workers, it is revealed on the basis of scientific research.

If a farming region suffers from drought in one season, according to the investigations, the farmers of that area may expect a plague of grasshoppers the next year. The reason, it was explained, is that aridity is favorable for reproduction of the insects.

A report of the investigation was made by R. O. Cromwell, formerly of the United States Department of Agriculture.

"Unusually dry weather, especially for successful seasons," Cromwell said, "is favorable for reproduction of 'hoppers, and unfavorable for insects which destroy the grasshoppers and their eggs."

Sowing Wheat From Air

Feasibility Of Using Planes Demonstrated By Soviets

Aeroplanes soaring less than 100 feet above the ground at a speed of from 60 to 70 miles an hour recently demonstrated the feasibility of sowing wheat from the air on a Soviet state farm in central Asia.

The plane sowed an area of about eight acres on each flight, covering a total of 300 acres a day. In just a fortnight four planes sowed 8,000 acres. Each plane is equipped with a sowing "spray" 65 feet wide.

Permits Passage Of Light

Transparent Aluminum, A German Invention, Still Has Yellowish Tinge

"Transparent" aluminum has been produced by a German chemist by substitution of substances in preparing an alloy which retains all the properties of the original metal, yet permits the passage of light. So far, the emerging light has a yellowish tinge, but the chemist is working to eliminate this color and make a glass-clear product.

A kettle drum is the only instrument of its kind that can be tuned to the key of the selection being played.

Brazil may promulgate a new election law.

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Burglar: "Tain't no use looking any further, mate. We might as well clear out. Here's a receipt the blighter's just 'ad from the Income Tax people."

—The Passing Show, London, England.

Upset Stomach

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BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

JELLIED RHUBARB PIE

1 package quick-setting gelatin

dessert (lemon flavor).

1 cup boiling water.

¼ cup orange juice.

2 lbs. young strawberry rhubarb

1½ cup granulated sugar.

Cut rhubarb in one-inch pieces. Steam in double boiler until tender, but unbroken. Add sugar when nearly done. Dissolve quick-setting gelatin in boiling water. Measure any juice from rhubarb and add water, if necessary, to make ¼ cup. Add to gelatin. Add orange juice. Chill until it begins to thicken and then fold in carefully, the pieces of rhubarb. Pour into small baked pastry shells and chill until firm. Garnish tops with meringue of a rosette of softened cream cheese.

OATMEAL MACAROONS

2½ cups of rolled oats (oatmeal).

1 cup of sugar.

1 teaspoon of vanilla.

2 eggs.

1 tablespoon of melted butter.

2 teaspoons (rounded) baking powder.

1 level teaspoon of salt.

Cup seedless raisins.

Cream sugar and melted butter in

add beaten yolks, then work in gradually oatmeal, to which has been added salt and baking powder. Then add

vanilla and nutmeg and beaten whites of eggs and raisins. Drop in small quantities on floured baking pan and bake in rather slow oven.

Reduce Freight Costs

Plan Construction Of Road In Great Bear Lake District

Construction of a road around the seven miles of rapids in the Bear River is under consideration by the Dominion public works department as a step to reduce freight costs and simplify transportation into the miner district of Great Bear Lake.

C. C. Ross, of the Dominion Mining and Metallurgy Department, revealed this move in an address at Calgary, Transportation, he said, was the great problem facing development of the radium-bearing pitchblende discoveries around Great Bear Lake.

Fish meal was formerly used chiefly in fertilizer stock, then it became valuable as animal feed, and now it is considered for human food under the name "fish flour."

For measuring the fatigue of workers a machine has been perfected that records their involuntary movements on a gauge as they stand on a small platform.



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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

APRIL 17

THE CALL OF ABRAHAM

Golden Text: "Be thou a blessing."

Genesis 12:2.

Lesson: Genesis 12:1-8.

Devotional Reading: 11:8-10, 17-19.

Explanations and Comments

The Call and the Promise, verses 1-3.—Whether Abraham received two calls or only one call to leave his home is a much disputed question. It seems natural to suppose that the call came to both Abraham and his father at Ur (see Acts 7:2-4; Genesis 11:31) and was reaffirmed by Abraham at Haran. When they reached Haran, Terah and Abraham settled there for a time, and there Terah died.

The name "Abraham" (the father of a multitude, Genesis 17:1) is based, according to Professor Kent, on a similarity of sound to the Hebrew word "Abram," meaning multitude. He deems the two forms, Abram and Abraham, as but dialectic variations of the familiar Hebrew name Abram, meaning the father is exalted (or the lion on his father). The name has been used in a Babylonian tablet from the reign of Hammurabi's grandfather, hence used as an individual name at least as early as 2000 B.C.

Get these out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house. These are cumulative expressions which show the greatness of the demand; Abraham must count himself out of his home, his kindred, his home, his kindred, his home. He must leave behind him all that was familiar and dear. His kindred worshipped a multitude of deities (Genesis 31:30), and his faith in the one true God took him away from such associations.

The word "the land that I will show thee," is definitely stated in verse 7. The promised reward, "I will make thee a great nation," is a thought which runs through the whole book of Genesis. In him all the families of the earth should be blessed.

The call of Abraham, the choosing of Israel, the history of the nation, the birth of Christ—through it all God was working to the end, the blessing of all peoples, the redemption of the world.

There was a meaning to the wonderful message of God to Abraham: on the one hand he is promised that he will become a great nation, that his name will be great, those that bless him will be blessed, and those that curse him will be cursed; on the other hand, he is admonished to be himself a blessing.

The Call Obeyed, verses 4-6.—With Sarah his wife and Lot his nephew and with all their flocks and herds, slaves and dependents, Abraham, at the age of seventy-five, left Haran for the land of Canaan.

"Abraham went out, not knowing whither he went." Does that command you to go out—yes, to leave our country, but to leave the surroundings in which we live ourselves; to get out of the business, out of the social circle, out of the environment in which we cannot serve God—what ever the cost." A. C. Dixon.

The great trek is dismissed in a sentence: "They went forth to go into the land of Canaan; and into the land of Canaan they came." Nothing is said of the length of the journey, the dangers on the way, the hardships endured, the trials and tribulations. It is stated, Abraham had faith in the divine prompting, and acted on his faith.

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WHEN GASTRIC JUICES FALL TO FLOW

You know how badly an engine runs when it gets clogged up. It's the same with your body, when your gastric—or digestive—juices fall to flow. Your food, instead of being assimilated by your system, simply collects and stagnates inside you, producing harmful acid poisons. What you need is further help—Nature's own tonic—Nature's six mineral salts. You get all these six salts in Kruschen Salts, and each one of them has an action of its own. Together, they stimulate and tune up the bodily functions from a number of different angles. The first effect of these salts is to promote the flow of the saliva and so awaken the appetite. The next action occurs in the stomach, where the digestive juices are encouraged to pour out and set upon the food. Again in the intestinal tract certain of these minerals further break down vital juices which deal with partly digested food and prepare it finally for absorption into the system.

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Trans-American Airlines

Developing Air Route Across the North Atlantic

Trans-American Airways announced it had entered into an agreement with Trans-American Airlines to conduct the necessary survey and research work for development of an air route across the North Atlantic.

Details of the negotiations were not made public and it was not definitely known whether survey flights would be made next summer over the proposed course, which is by way of Canada, Greenland, Iceland and the Faroe and Shetland Islands.

It was announced, however, that the thorough study of the project being undertaken will be a preliminary step to the actual launching of exploratory flights through the north.

Trans-American Airlines has been assisted during the past year in its study of the problem by the noted polar explorer, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, who proposed a northern commercial air route 13 years ago.

An indication of the progress made in the preliminary work, it was pointed out the parliament of Iceland within the last month has passed an act granting Trans-American and their associated interests a 75-year franchise for the transportation of mail over Icelandic waters, an air route between North America and Europe.

The specific routing of the northern line has not been determined pending the further extension of surveys.

Australia Is Very Old

Geological Formations Estimated To Be 20,000,000 Years Old

A discovery made by gold prospectors recently affords further proof of Australia's great age. After boring through 200 feet of basalt they struck an old river-bed, and brought up water-worn pebbles, which, according to the experts, had not been exposed to sunlight for over a million years. And there are geological formations in the Island Continent which are estimated to be at least 20,000,000 years old. Australia, too, has preserved living links with its remote past. Some of its animals and plants are definitely prehistoric species, such as have survived nowhere else. The duck-billed platypus, for instance, is the oldest existing type of mammal.

Makes Canoe Safer

New Type Of Non-Capsizeing and Unstable Craft Is Constructed

A new type of non-capsizeing and unstable canoe, weighing between 50 and 90 pounds and for which a patent has been secured, has just been built by M. Pepin, of Quebec City. He claims that even with a full load there is not the slightest danger of the craft sinking nor can it turn over. With an outboard motor, Pepin says, the canoe will be capable of making 35 miles an hour.

An inscription found at Delphi shows that in the first century B.C. Rome planned an international police system for the seas, to fight pirates and brigands.

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CANADA'S TROUBLES WITH OVERSEAS TRADE, AND THE REMEDY

As a twenty-dollar suit of clothes weighs only a few pounds, it can be sent thousands of miles for a few cents if in bulk with other dry goods. This is typical of the comparatively small cost of transporting factory goods and, therefore, British manufacturers favor overseas trade.

But, with farm crops, the case is very different. The farm crops of British Columbia are mostly vegetables, fruit and salads. A dollar sack of potatoes weighs a hundred pounds and as its freight to Europe would be several dollars, British Columbia potatoes cannot be sold in Europe, nor can other B. C. vegetables, owing to cost of transportation. Perishability, too, prevents British Columbia small fruits and salads from being sold overseas. Some B. C. apples have been sold in Europe, but the returns are not good. With these conditions, there is much distress among the British Columbia farmers.

Many farmers, to my knowledge, have been ruined and starved off the land by having no sale for their crop overseas and no local markets.

Farmers on the Canadian prairies have similar troubles. Prairie products are mostly grain and cattle. A dollar's worth of wheat, at present rates, weighs about eighty pounds and cost of transporting Canadian wheat to Europe usually raises the price above that of wheat grown in Europe. Such is the case with grain, cattle and other prairie produce. For this reason, Canadian prairie crops, as a rule, cannot be sold in Europe in competition with such goods produced in Europe. This is proved by many years of poor results for prairie farmers with overseas trade.

Thus, with the farm crops of British Columbia and the Canadian prairies, overseas trade with Europe is unprofitable through costs and troubles due to long distance. As western farmers cannot sell their crops by overseas trade, they cannot buy the factory goods sent to western Canada from England. That hinders production of such goods in England and causes unemployment and poverty there by depression in trade. These troubles are because western farmers cannot sell their crops by overseas trade.

What should be done? How could western farmers sell their crops? As their trouble is long distance to market, they need short distance to market, like that of European farmers who sell their crops at towns near their farms. Farmers in western Canada could easily sell their crops if factory people were working in towns in western Canada among the farms. The factory people could buy the farm crops and the farmers could buy the factory goods.

That plan should be adopted. The Canadian government should induce manufacturers to put factory towns in western Canada among the farms. The present troubles are because the Canadian government did not do that years ago. When giving free homesteads to farmers in western Canada, the government should also have given free factory sites to manufacturers to put factory towns among the farms like the market towns of Europe. As that was not done then, it should be done now.

In colonization, free land should be given not only to farmers but also to manufacturers, because colonial farmers cannot sell their crops without factories and market towns among their farms. "Back to the land" is misery without local

markets. Overseas trade with farm crops is a poverty-making business, which is ruining the farmers. As the farmers cannot sell their crops by overseas trade, market towns should be put in western Canada by immigration of many factory people from Europe. The factory people must be there to buy the farm crops to enable the farmers to buy the factory goods. Canadian markets for Canadian crops.

Canada is said to have spent thirty million dollars last year on relief work. Allowing thirty thousand dollars as capital for a factory, thirty million dollars would establish one thousand new factories. That would be much better use of the money as those factories would give regular employment to thousands of men and would be good local markets for farm crops.

The establishment of factory towns in western Canada, to buy markets for farm crops while supplying factory goods, is the remedy for the depression in trade and the means of prosperity in the future. It is "prosperity round the corner." It is money in your pockets and a balance at the bank. Try it and then say: "Thank God for better business. We should have done this years ago."

Factories For Western Canada! Canadian Markets For Canadian Crops!—JAS. PHILBERT, Mission, B.C., Canada.

FALSE SENTIMENT, SAYS MR. BROWNLEE

Speaking in opposition to Mr. Fred J. White's resolution to the effect that the order in council for reduction of 10 per cent on Mothers' Allowance be rescinded, Premier John E. Brownlee remarked, according to press despatches, that "there was a certain amount of false sentiment about the whole question."

Premier John E. Brownlee is in the fortunate position of not having seen born a woman and subsequently left destitute with a horde of kids to care for. Had he ever faced privation, he might have decided that a ten per cent slice off the monthly pittance of widows is actually far greater than a ten per cent cut off the salary, honorarium and perquisites of a provincial Premier.

Possibly there is a lot of false sentiment attached to all social legislation, yet, so long as Mr. Brownlee, or any other political leader, is prepared to shed crocodile tears over starving humanity when it is politically expedient so to do, we feel that the pretence could be carried to the point of allowing widows to enjoy the benefits of reduced prices for a few months.—Druncheater Mail.

A Nova Scotia man was sentenced to four months in jail for non-support of his wife. He pleaded poverty for years.

Port William's "Thundering Herd" were defeated by the Toronto Sea Flies in the finals for the Allan Cup. The final game went into overtime for a score of 1-0.

Two employees were badly burned at Trail on April 8th, when an electric washing machine full of gasoline-soaked clothes exploded in a dry cleaning establishment.

The receipts of the Staveland skating rink the past winter totalled \$782 from the following sources: skating fees, \$390; hockey fees, \$192; curling fees, \$200. Expenses, exclusive of debenture payments, were \$953.80.

An eminent scientist announces that the world will last a trillion years instead of fifteen billion, as previously estimated. All of which proves that there's plenty of cheering news in the press, if you still only look for it.

A woman cured her husband of staying out late at night by going to the door when he came home and whispering through the keyhole, "Is that you, Willie?" Her husband's name is John, and he stays at home every night now and sleeps with one eye open and a revolver under his pillow.



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Services third Sunday after Easter, as follows:

Sunday School at 10 a.m. in hall.

Holy Communion at 11 a.m.

Remember the special meeting to be held in the hall on Saturday at 3:30 p.m., to be addressed by Mr. A. H. Priest, field secretary for Sunday schools.

Judgment for \$7,194.10 has been entered against D. Alex. Cameron for sitting in the Newfoundland house of assembly, after accepting an office of profit or emolument from the government.

An Alberta farmer went to town, and needing some lunch, slipped in to a restaurant and got two fried eggs. He had no money, so he paid for his meal with two dozen fresh eggs.

And then there is the Scotie who was asked how he liked his new radio. "Well, mon," he said, "it's all right so far as the music goes, but it's awful hard to read by the wee lamps."

A little boy had taken his mother's powder puff and was in the act of powdering his face when his small sister, aged five, snatched it from him. "You mustn't do that," she exclaimed. "Only ladies use powder. I must wash this face!"

Frederick William Sorge, a native of Berlin, Germany, and pioneer rancher of the Pincher Creek district, passed away on Friday last at the age of seventy-seven years. He came to Pincher Creek in 1897. Besides his widow, he is survived by six sons and three daughters.

Hens in Nova Scotia are doing their best to assist production by laying double eggs. A recent case is that of a hen at a Stewick henry which laid a large egg within the outside shell of which was the white of an egg and inside of this was a perfect egg.

Editor Wm. McDonald of the Chrysler Enterprise, Ont., has won a prize of \$5000 in a Montreal Star contest for the closest guess to the 1931 census of Canada. He guessed 10,731,196, the exact population. Mr. McDonald is 70 years of age, a Scotchman and a newspaperman. Figures for himself whether the \$5000 is welcome.

American travellers enroute to a point in or beyond the province of Quebec, who enter the dining car as the train approaches the Quebec boundary, will in future have to gulp down their coffee and dessert before they enter the province or pay the Hospital Tax recently imposed. Each meal costing thirty-five cents or more is subject to a five per cent tax by the province.

The East Kootenay Musical Festival will be held at Cranbrook on April 21st, 22nd and 23rd. So far, there are entries in from Pincher Creek, Frank, Coleman, Bellevue, Hiltner and Blairmore, Alberta; and Michel, Fort Steele, Kimberley, Cranbrook, Yakk, Creston and Nelson, British Columbia.

Drastic salary cuts, ranging from \$43 a month to \$640 a year, have been put into effect by the Glace Bay town council. The cuts apply to all employees of the town. Legislation is being put through in New Brunswick for a drop of \$100 in the minimum wage in each of the three classes of school districts.

Recently, Canadian and United States daily newspapers have been giving prominence to reports of riot at the Newfoundland house of assembly, going so far as to state that 10,000 people entered the parade and demonstration. It is very interesting to note that Newfoundland papers simply make casual reference to the incident, in which less than one hundred persons manifested an interest.

Next!

Several times during the past year, a trapper's cabin north of town and near Burns Creek, has been entered and robbed, and no trace of the robbers could be found. During the past few days, however, a party travelling through the bush between the cabin and Coleman, came across a suit case, which proved to be part of the loot. The contents, including clothing, a clock, etc., were in a somewhat damaged condition, owing to long exposure to the elements.

The longest voyage believed ever to have been made by a Canadian merchant ship was completed by the Canadian National Steamships' freighter "Canadian Scottish" when she arrived at Halifax recently from the Antipodes. The "Canadian Scottish" left Montreal six months ago



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Fees for Classes "A" and "B" are figured on gross weight, which shall mean the combined weight of the chassis, body and cab of the freight vehicle and the manufacturer's rated carrying capacity.

Fees in these classes range from 50 cents per 100 lbs. to \$1.75 per 100 lbs. according to their weight classification.

Applications for truck licenses, stating weight and carrying capacity of truck, should be made to:

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For South American ports and proceeded via the Magellan Straits to Australia and New Zealand, where she loaded return cargo. In all the ship travelled 25,000 miles, or a little more than the circumference of the globe.

Practically simultaneous with the outgoing of the provincial police came the disappearance of some of Blairmore's silent policemen, who for several years have served as a guide to the ever-increasing motor traffic. Both followed the request of the Reds for removal of uniformed officers from the strike area. In connection with removal of the "silent police," a prominent citizen has suggested they should be placed at the corners of the cemeteries, where the prominent signs "Keep To The Right" might lead some poor souls in the right direction.

The conductor of the band glared at the cornet player. "Why on earth," he yelled, "did you leave off playing just as we got to the chorus?"

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District News

From Our Own Correspondents

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Mackenzie (nee Lucy Carter) is at present visiting here with her mother, Mrs. B. Carter.

R. Stutheby left by bus on Wednesday for the coast, where he will join Mrs. Stutheby.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Seaman on Monday, leaving a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Crichton motored to Edmonton last week for the graduation of Mrs. Crichton's daughter, Miss Jessie Collinson.

G. E. Cruickshank, M.L.A., returned Saturday from Edmonton.

The Wolf Cubs and Boy Scouts, accompanied by their leaders, attended the movie pictures shown by Mr. Vissac at Blairmore last week.

There has been an epidemic of flu here the last two weeks.

Mrs. E. Butler returned home last week from Calgary, where she had been in consultation with a physician.

Mrs. H. Stobbs entertained her friends on Saturday evening. Whist was played, honors being won by Mrs. E. Rolfe, first; Mrs. R. Stenhouse, second; Mrs. R. Thornton, consolation. A pleasant half hour was spent over the teacups after a delicious cold luncheon had been served.

A number of dogs have been poisoned during the week. This seems to be an annual occurrence, and as yet the police have apparently taken no steps to bring about a prosecution.

Mrs. J. Mackie received word on Monday that a daughter had been born to her daughter, Mrs. Fred Sick.

Cyril Richards was practicing teaching at a school near Macleod last week. He returned on Saturday to Calgary, where he will continue his studies at normal school.

A meeting of Communists was held here on Saturday, at which the speakers were Messrs. Murphy, Dow and Speary. They failed to arouse any enthusiasm.

Mrs. F. J. Smith has been confined to her home for a week through illness.

A concert is being arranged, in aid

of the United church, to be held in the Union hall on Wednesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Adlam motored to Lethbridge last week end.

Miss Margaret Grant was confined to her home last week through illness.

Archie McCulloch, of Coleman, who was visiting relatives here, was savagely assaulted on Saturday evening by four unknown miscreants.

CORBIN HAPPENINGS

At a meeting of the Corbin Community Club, held in the B. & B. hall on Friday last, the following officers were elected for the coming season: James Booth, president; Max Hunger, vice-president; T. Manuelli, secretary, and Mrs. Elliot, treasurer.

Work on the Corbin Tennis Club courts has begun in earnest, and all supplies, such as nets, tapes, etc., have been ordered.

Both ladies' and men's softball teams will be starting to practice during the coming week, as with the last few days of sun and warm wind the playground is drying up fast.

Football has started, and the players held their annual meeting in the B. & B. hall on Sunday, April 10th, when the following were elected to office: T. Dunlop, president; W. Goss, vice-president; J. Dorman, secretary; J. Sanderson, assistant; E. Coste, trainer. Last year was the first for a long time that Corbin has entered a team for the various cups offered in the C.N.P.A., and were successful in being in the finals for both the Mutt and Crahan cups; so this year, with practically the same players to draw from, there is a good chance of Corbin being the temporary home of at least one of these much sought trophies.

At a bridge party given in the B. & B. hall on Thursday evening last, Mrs. Reger was awarded the ladies' first prize, and Mrs. Herd the consolation. Gent's first went to J. Kolinsky, while C. Petrie had to be content with the consolation. The ladies served a very excellent supper after cards.

Mrs. F. Dawson and baby have returned to Corbin, where Mr. Dawson is in the employ of the coal company. Friends of Miss Bertha Oakley will be pleased to hear that she is recovering rapidly from her recent illness, and is at present staying with her aunt, Mrs. Worthington, at Coal Creek.

Mrs. T. J. Barnes was a Lundbreck visitor over the week end.

BELLEVUE HAPPENINGS

Michel hoopsters visited Bellevue on Friday night and played two fast and clean games of basketball. Michel Pirates defeated the locals thirty-two to twenty-two. Michel high school girls defeated the local girls 22 to 21.

Howard Anderson, formerly of Bellevue and now flying for the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co., of Trail, circled over town a couple of times on Monday while enroute to Saskatoon.

The Ladies' Aid of the United church gave a surprise shower to Mrs. D. Curry on Tuesday evening at the home of the hostess.

Mrs. W. Alexander gave a bridge party on Tuesday evening to her young friends. Bridge honors were won by Miss Grace Penman, ladies' first; Miss Ivy Johnson, second, and Mrs. J. Hill, consolation.

Mr. R. T. Johnson left on Friday morning for the coast with R. Gray, of Blairmore.

Algy Watson is in Edmonton for treatment for an accident that happened some time ago.

Johnson & Cousins are having their store re-decorated by the Britannia Paint Works.

The death of Mrs. James Allsop, senior, occurred at five o'clock on Saturday evening. Mrs. Allsop had been in poor health for some time

Funeral services were held in the United church on Monday afternoon, Rev. J. Wood officiating. Mrs. Allsop leaves to mourn her loss her husband, two daughters, Mrs. J. Christie and Mrs. Higgins; two sons, Thomas and James, and four grandchildren.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Dave Barnett has returned from Vancouver, after spending the winter months there.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Armstrong, of Portage la Prairie, arrived here on Thursday. Mr. Armstrong will take over the management of Mrs. C. Latta's ranch near town.

People here have taken advantage of the fine weather this week, and are working in their gardens and raking, cleaning and burning the winter's accumulation of litter and dirt in their yards.

On Friday night, the I.O.O.F. hall was packed to standing, when one of the most successful concerts of its kind was staged here. Every number on a lengthy programme was well and gracefully performed, holding the crowd with an untiring interest from 8.30 to 11 o'clock. In reviewing the programme, it is rather difficult to say which item was the most pleasing. Little Irene Wells danced with the grace of an artist, Barbara and Clare Bundy showed marked talent in fancy dancing, while all of the girls, when dancing together, were right on the dot with their time.

In the many artistic numbers they did, Mrs. Bundy and Mrs. Littleton, who supervised the training of the girls and who got up the concert, gave two very quaint and pleasing acts, with Miss Nellie McWilliams and Mr. Harry Pratten assisting. The tidy sum taken at the door was divided between the Union and Anglican church funds here. The programme in brief was as follows: Opening chorus, heel-and-toe polka dance, by 8 girls; "Return of Martha and George Washington," a sketch, by Mrs. Littleton and Mrs. Bundy; recitation, by Sylvia Murphy; "Gaby Glide," dance by 8 girls; cowboy song, "When the bloom is on the sage," butterfly dance, Irene Wells; "Sailor's Hornpipe," by Barbara and Clare Bundy; monologue, "Mrs. Fidelity on a Street Car," by Mrs. Littleton; "Call of The Pipes" dance by 8 girls; "Woman in the Shoe" dance by 7 girls; acrobatic stunts, by Irene Wells and Clare Bundy; "Sir Roger Coverley" dance by 8 girls; "Irish Reel" by Barbara and Clare Bundy; Dutch song, by Mrs. Bundy and Mrs.

Littleton; Spanish fantasy, "Lady of Spain," and tango; tap dancing, by Clara Bundy. The following dancers took part: Nettie Swart, Barbara Bundy, Josephine Porter, Lillian Porter, Marion Morrison, Isabel Peizer, Edith Murphy and Clara Bundy.

The Lundbreck Bridge Club entertained their out-of-town friends at a drive in the community hall on Thursday night when prizes were won as follows: ladies' first, Mrs. Best Connelly; second, Mrs. Swanson; gent's first, Dick Alexander; second, Fritz Jeasen, while M. A. Murphy won the guessing prize, being thirteen short of the correct number in a jar of beans. Mrs. Murphy was winner of the lucky number. After the drive, the crowd sat down to a tasty luncheon, served from tables artistically laid and decorated with carnations and lending sweet fragrance all round. The hall was hastily cleared, when dancing was indulged in for a time to excellent music furnished by Mrs. Ed. Grove.

BLOOD STAINS REDDEN ON SAVIOUR'S CROWN

ROME, March 28.—Fulfilling centuries old tradition, statues of the thorns from the Saviour's crown, preserved in the cathedral at Andria, Southern Italy, reddened, and blood marks were revived Friday afternoon. The tradition is that, whenever Good Friday falls on March 25, the Feast of the Annunciation, the stains on the relics of the crown of thorns, preserved at Andria and at other places, undergo the change.

Good Friday coincided with the Feast of the Annunciation this year, and the blood stains changed color, not only on the relics at Andria cathedral, but also on relics of crown of thorns preserved at Naples, Avessa, Bari and Gargoli. The phenomenon did not take place in the parish of Melzi, near Genoa, where another relic of the crown is preserved and where a great congregation was assembled Good Friday afternoon.

Strictest measures were taken to verify the authenticity of the miracle and to guard against any possible mistake or fraud. The miracle took place at 4.10 o'clock in the afternoon in the presence of a great congregation that had joined in three hours of prayer. Immediately following the change in the color stains, witnesses burst into hymns of thanksgiving. Following the services, the Bishop, standing on the balcony of his episcopal residence, exhibited the relics to some 20,000 persons gathered in



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A SHORTAGE OF PRINTERS

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At present, says this journal, the

prison contains only two printers, and one of these is old and decrepit, a lifer. They could run the accounts, equip a church of most any denomination or a college with a full list of instructors. They have, moreover, a sufficient force of trained bankers to operate half a dozen banks, but there are not enough printers to equip one tiny shop.

Day by day fishermen are becoming more and more self conscious and honest. Instead of the exaggerated story of the number and size of fish taken in a short space of time, we hear this: "N. John, it wasn't thirty-four; we only caught thirty-three and there wasn't one of legal length."

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The proposal for the amalgamation of the three prairie provinces of Canada into one large provincial unit recently advanced by Premier Bracken of Manitoba, and supported by Hon. Mr. Justice Turgeon of Saskatchewan, does not, it would appear, command very general or enthusiastic support on the part of the people in the area affected. It has only aroused a certain academic interest in much the same way as similar proposals in regard to three much smaller Maritime Provinces have been received at varying periods since Confederation.

This lack of interest in, and support for, the idea of one big province does not, however, presuppose a complete satisfaction on the part of the people with the present unduly heavy costs of governmental administration in this country. That there is a keen and very much alive interest in this larger problem is made manifest in many ways.

There are, for example, the proposals before Legislatures in certain of the Prairie and Maritime Provinces for a reduction in the membership of those bodies. In Saskatchewan, at the time of writing this article, a bill is under consideration reducing the number of members in the Legislature from 63 to 52. The effect of such reduction, if it is made effective, will be a saving of from \$20,000 to \$25,000 a year. Such a saving is, of course, worth while,—at all savings are whether large or small,—but, unless accompanied with many other savings in legislative and administrative costs, will not go very far towards meeting the objection that we are over-governed in Canada. Much more than cutting the size of legislatures must be done.

The writer is convinced that it is not in the union of two or three provinces into one, nor in the mere reduction in numbers of the membership of legislatures, that substantial and therefore really worthwhile savings can be brought about. The savings in the costs of government in Canada, that should be saved, but millions. Can economies be effected that will save these millions to the taxpayers without impairing services to the people or efficiency in their administration? We believe they can.

But mere criticism of existing conditions, even when coupled with expressions of beliefs that they can be bettered, is not convincing unless accompanied by practical suggestions looking to reforms and a betterment of conditions. Anybody can criticize; destructive criticism is easy, but constructive suggestion and performance is an entirely different and a much more difficult matter, especially as all such action has to meet and overcome long-established and presently existing conditions.

Not in revolution, therefore, but in evolution, and particularly at this time in co-ordination of services, in co-operation between governments looking to an amalgamation of services rather than in an amalgamation of governments and provinces, is to be found a practical, real-to-hand method of saving not thousands but hundreds of thousands of dollars.

To illustrate: Canada with a Federal and nine Provincial Governments has ten departments or bureaus dealing with agriculture; ten dealing with public health; ten dealing with company incorporation, company law, mortgage and insurance companies; ten having to do with administration of justice; ten levying, or having the power to levy, income taxes, etc., etc. The result is, of course, constant conflict of authority, duplication of services, much unnecessary expense, and interference with and the irritation of the people generally.

Everybody realizes the situation, but governments, like individuals, are loath to relinquish any powers or rights they possess, they are jealous of these things and zealous in retaining every atom of control over them. Even within a government, it is difficult to re-organize departments to meet changing conditions because one department opposes the transfer of any branch of its work to another department, and the more highly organized and independent a Civil Service becomes, the more bureaucratic does it become.

To illustrate again: The enforcement of law and administration of justice within a Province is the duty of the Provincial authority. Hence it must have a police force. But the Federal authority is responsible for the enforcement of its own Customs, Excise, Immigration, Postal, and similar laws, and is responsible for the administration of Indian affairs. So it, too, must have a police force. Then the cities and larger towns are responsible for the enforcement of their own by-laws. So they, too, have police forces.

Four or five years ago the Government of Saskatchewan entered into an arrangement with the Federal Government whereby they disbanded the Saskatchewan Provincial Police, and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, a Federal body, policed the Province in addition to discharging its own Federal duties. The Province pays the Dominion a lump sum annually for this work, but it is saving some hundreds of thousands of dollars annually as compared with the cost of maintaining a separate police force of its own. Recently Alberta and Manitoba have made similar arrangements with the Federal Government. Thus without any union of governments or legislative bodies, without surrender of any Provincial right or authority, without any curtailment in service or any impairment in efficiency, millions of dollars will be saved to the taxpayers of these three provinces, and without increase cost to the Dominion.

It is the writer's conviction that the same policy can be developed in many ways and made to apply in other branches of Federal and Governmental services. In some cases, perhaps, Provincial governments could surrender certain authority now possessed by them to the Dominion exclusively, and, vice versa, the Dominion might surrender certain authority possessed by them to the Provinces exclusively. These things might be done to the mutual advantage of both, and certainly to the benefit of the hard pressed Canadian taxpayer. But, even in the absence of such actual surrender, surely it is possible by co-operation, co-ordination, even amalgamation of services, to enormously reduce the present costs of governmental administration throughout this Dominion. It can be done if there is only the will to do it.

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Minard's. It "takes hold".
Antiseptic, soothing, healing.
Gives quick relief!

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"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT

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sewing at home. Good pay. Work
sent, charges paid. Stamp for particu-
lars. National Manufacturing Com-
pany, Montreal.

W. N. U. 1937

First Lipton Shop Closed
After 60 years of activity the first
shop to be opened in Glasgow, Scot-
land, by Sir Thomas Lipton, has been
closed. The shop was started by Lip-
ton with a slender capital on his 21st
birthday after his visit to America.
Lipton ran it personally, sleeping un-
der the counter at night. The busi-
ness was transferred to other Lipton
branches.

The most important rules to follow
in removing stains are to treat the
stain when fresh and to apply simple
methods first.

Buses will replace all street cars in
Middleborough, England.

Great Britain now has nearly 4,
250,000 licensed radio receivers.

Automatic Radio Is
Demonstrated in Paris

**Does Away With Necessity Of
Trained Wireless Operator**
An automatic radio, immensely
simplifying the process of sending
messages, was demonstrated at Paris
by its inventor, Jacques Detrouilleux,
before representatives of the Minis-
tries of War, Post and Telegraphs,
Merchant Marine and Public Works.

The apparatus can be operated by
any one knowing how to read, over-
riding the necessity of a trained wire-
less operator. It works by means of
knobs, which are turned—like the
knobs on a radio receiving set. The
letters of the alphabet and various
signals are printed on a dial turned
by a knob, messages thus being
spelled out.

The apparatus is small and light
enough to be carried anywhere, per-
mitting its use on airplanes, sub-
marines and fishing smacks and at
meteorological stations and army
posts. Provision is made in the case of
submarines to carry a buoy equipped
with the new apparatus, and in case
of accident the buoy is released and
continues to send out SOS calls for
as long as twenty-five hours. In case
of any sort of wreck the device per-
mits sending calls for help without
the necessity of the operator sticking to
his post.

Antidote For Deadly Gases

**Experimenter Believed To Have Suc-
ceeded From Effects Of
Scientific Tests**

A remarkable scientific discovery
which may have a profound effect on
modern chemical warfare was reported
by the London Sunday Express, En-
gland, which also indicated that the
discoverer of the secret may have died
a martyr to his work.

The newspaper said the chemical
defense research department of the
war office had discovered an effective
antidote for all gases used in modern
warfare. The department had been
experimenting for 14 years on an effort
to achieve such a formula.

Military volunteers risked their
lives by walking in areas filled with
deadly gases, the newspaper said.
They were affected by the gases, but
recovered immediately from the ef-
fects when the antidote was applied.

Major W. R. Calvey, who died
March 6th, was the chief expert con-
ducting the experiments. The Ex-
press said he died without realizing
the success which had been achieved,
and that his death, which was said
to have been due to pneumonia, may
have been a result of gas poisoning.

Want Rates Published

**Ask For Information Regarding Rates
From Churchill To Prairie Points**

Publication of merchandise class
rates from Churchill, the terminus of
the Hudson Bay Railway, and prairie
points has been urged upon the man-
agement of the Canadian National
Railways, by J. Manion, Minister of
Railways, informed the House of
Commons. In answer to a question
by C. R. McIntosh (Liberal, North
Battleford), Mr. Manion stated that
he had taken up the matter recently
with Sir Henry Thornton, and im-
pressed upon him the importance of
early action.

Seems Hardly Cricket

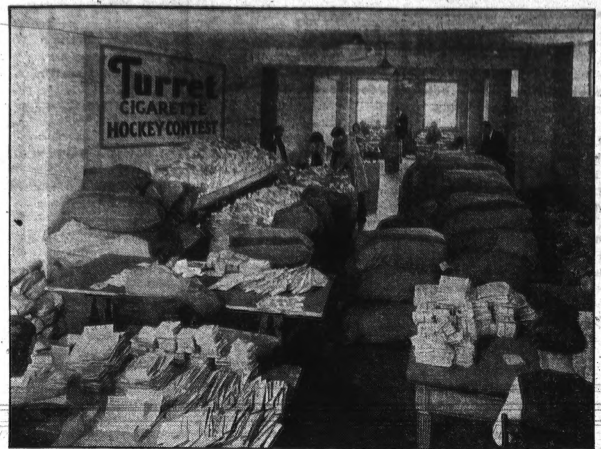
**United States Encourages Indians To
Speak Against Great Britain**

We note another native Indian has
been telling the good folk of Philadel-
phia what a wicked administration is
given India by the British. He was de-
bating with an Englishman who up-
held the British rule. It seems to be
one of the hobbies in the United
States at the moment to flood the
country with native Indians to speak
against Great Britain. It may amuse
the Americans, but it hardly seems to
be cricket for them to encourage that
sort of thing.—Border Cities Star.

More than 150 breakfasts, lunches,
and dinners are served to various
members of the royal retinue of
Buckingham Palace, London every
day.

Dwarfs were objects of great inter-
est to the ancient Romans, and arti-
ficial dwarfing was sometimes prac-
ticed.

**DR. HAMILTON'S
PILLS**
FOR
HEADACHE, BILIOUSNESS,
CONSTIPATION,
INDIGESTION,
KIDNEYS, LIVER,
BOWELS



Turret Cigarette Hockey Contest Headquarters Staff Sorting the Millions of Entries Received

The scene illustrated above will
give our readers a slight idea of the
vast number of entries received in
the Turret Cigarette \$15,000.00 Cash
Prize Hockey Contest. Well over
three million entries were sent in,

bearing the post mark of March 5th,
or a prior date, which was a condi-
tion binding upon all contestants
desiring to qualify for one of the 200
cash prizes. The enormous task of
judging these millions of entries is

going forward as rapidly as possible.
According to the latest reports from
Contest Headquarters, it will be
possible to publish the complete list
of prize winners about the latter part
of April.

Proposed Water Reservoir

**Suggested Plan To Conserve Moisture
In Southern Saskatchewan**

Formation of a large water reser-
voir at Buffalo Lake by the construc-
tion of a dam on the Qu'Appelle Riv-
er, 20 miles from Moose Jaw, was ad-
vocated by T. C. Main, A.M.E.I.C.,
consulting engineer for the Saskatch-
ewan drought commission in an ad-
dress given at Moose Jaw.

Mr. Main's proposal will be placed
before the provincial government as a
recommendation in his report. The
reservoir would be about 25 miles in
length and three-quarters of a mile
wide. The reservoir would be an ef-
fective means of conserving water for
southern Saskatchewan, Mr. Main
said.

He also suggested, that despite
present opposition, the Saskatchewan
River water diversion scheme would
go through within the next few years.
Mr. Main pointed out that the pre-
cipitation in northern Saskatchewan
last year was not a great deal more
than in the south and while the rain-
fall in the north had been conserved,
it had drained off rapidly in the
southern parts.

Reduced By Asthma. The constant
strain of asthma brings the patient
to a dreadful state of hopeless ex-
haustion. Early use should be of
means be made of the famous Dr. J. D.
Kellogg's Asthma Remedy, which
works in a few minutes and quickly
and surely on the air passages and brings
blessed help and comfort. No home
where asthma is present in the least
degree should be without this great
remedy.

Historic Sword Sold

**Was Presented To Sir John French
After Boer War**

A field marshal's sword, sheathed
in solid gold and with a gold dia-
mond-studded hilt, has been sold to
the London Bullion Company by per-
sons taking advantage of the present
monetary situation to profit by gold
disposal. It was understood that the
sword was the one presented to the
late Earl of Ypres, then Sir John
French, after the Boer War. The
blade was presented by the citizens of
Kimberley in 1901 in gratitude for the
action of the earl, who led a series
of cavalry charges to lift the siege of
the city. The new owners said they
had no intention of melting the sword.
But probably they offer it to the citi-
zens of Kimberley.

Utilizing Cherry Stones

**Usefulness Of Every Part Was Dis-
covered By Accident**

After accidentally stepping on a
cherry stone and observing the greasy
spot left on the floor, an orchardist
and canner now uses the pits as well
as the fruit. The oil in the kernels
is pressed out and used in the making
of cosmetics, the left-over cake in the
press is sold for fertilizer, and the
shells are utilized for fuel.

Douglas Egyptian Liniment is
recommended for sore necks, galls,
distemper, calouses and sprains. Re-
moves proud flesh and Hoof Rot.
Stops bleeding instantly.

Son—"Dad, what's a matrimonial
bureau?"

Dad—"It's a bureau, son, with six
drawers packed full of women's fig-
ings and one man's necktie."

New Pyramid Found

**Built About 2800 B.C. Only the Base
Remains**

Egypt rocks with excitement over
a fresh find. A pyramid, built about
2800 B.C., is discovered in the Gizeh
sands. Its base, of 5,000 square yards
makes it rank along with the big
three. It may contain the sarcoph-
agus of Miss Cheops. Only the
base remains, the rest having been
carried away—perhaps to be used in
other pyramids. Ancient builders
were that odd. The Egyptians de-
stroyed to build anew. Their unwill-
ing contemporaries the Mayas of
Yucatan built one magnificent tem-
ple squarely upon another.

As a verminiferous effective prepa-
ration is Mother Graves' Worm Exter-
minator, and it can be given to the
most delicate child without fear of in-
jury to the constitution.

"Death-Ray" Experiments

**Tests Being Made So Far Have Been
Quite Harmless**

Favorites among the projects of in-
ventors of war devices is a "death-
ray" that will kill enemies at a dis-
tance. The few who have claimed any
progress toward such a ray have tested
it harmlessly by stopping automo-
bile motors or by setting off explosive
charges at a safe distance. The latest
of these is Kurt Schlimm, a
chemist of Berlin. He succeeded re-
cently in exploding a mine two hun-
dred yards away.

Navy blue bowler hats for men are
appearing in Paris.



"FATIGUE?"

I just postpone it!"

"No! I don't have 'nerves.' You can't have them, and
hold this sort of position. My head used to throb
around three o'clock, and certain days, of course,
were worse than others."

"Then I learned to rely on Aspirin."
The sure cure for any headache is rest. But some-
times we must postpone it. That's when Aspirin
saves the day. Two tablets, and the nagging pain is
gone unless you are home. And once you are comfortable
the pain seldom returns!

Keep Aspirin handy. Don't put it away, or put off
taking it. Fighting a headache to finish the day may
be heroic, but it is also a little foolish. So is sacrificing
a night's sleep because you're an annoying cold, or
irritated throat, or grumbling tooth, neuralgia,
neuritis. These tablets always relieve. They don't
depress the heart, and may be taken freely. That is
medical opinion. It is a fact established by the last
twenty years of medical practice.

The only caution to be observed is when you are
buying Aspirin. Don't take a substitute because it will
not act the same. Aspirin is made in Canada.

WANT SPEEDIER ACTION OVER PENSION CLAIMS

Ottawa, Ont.—Difficulties of war veterans in securing hearings for pension claims were laid before the House of Commons in a flood of complaints from all sides, existing machinery had become clogged with 30,000 cases, some of them heard a year ago, it was contended, and no judgments rendered. In the meantime, suffering, both physical and mental, had been caused in thousands of cases.

Congestion in the pension machinery would pass away eventually, predicted Murray MacLaren, the minister. He laid the blame for the overloading on the parliamentary committee that established the system two years ago.

From all sides of the Chamber came suggestions for accelerating the pension machinery. Peter McGibbon (Lib., West Lambton), proposed that county court judges be conscripted to hear cases until the congestion was overcome. Ian MacKenzie (Lib., Vancouver Centre), suggested each of the 12 travelling tribunals judges be empowered to hear cases by himself. Alfred Spenshott (Unif., Red Deer), advocated abolishing the right of appeal now held by the board of pension commissioners when a soldier-applicant won his case. F. G. Sanderson (Lib., Perth South), said this right of appeal was the clogging point of the system.

Party lines were forgotten for the two hours the discussion lasted. It arose when an item of \$48,500,000 for pension payments was under review. The item eventually passed.

For a considerable part of the day the House considered estimates of the pensions and health department, and then switched to the department of external affairs and later department of justice. Many millions of dollars were passed during the day with the usual stumbling-blocks being encountered at irregular periods.

Market For Low Grade Wheat

No Demand For No. 1 Northern In Great Britain

Ottawa, Ont.—An extraordinary situation with regard to the British market for Canadian wheat was disclosed before the agricultural committee of the House of Commons. A letter from Sir Albert Humphries, prominent British miller, was read before the committee by Dr. L. H. Newman, Dominion minister. It declared that there was practically no present demand for No. 1 Northern in the United Kingdom, all the demand being for No. 2 and lower grades.

The natural outcome of the foregoing situation would be to lower the price of No. 1 and boost the price of No. 2. However, the exact opposite has been the case and the spread between the two grades at present is as high as seven cents.

One suggestion to explain this was the demand from other European countries which brought in wheat over high specific duties. These buyers since they had to pay a high duty per bushel regardless of grade would bring in the highest quality of wheat. Another suggestion supporting the contention for a separate grading of Garnet wheat was that the presence of Garnet in No. 2 grade and not in No. 1 kept the price for No. 2 down.

Capt. Hawks Injured

Noted Speed Flyer Meets With Accident In Attempted Take Off

Worcester, Mass.—Captain Frank M. Hawks, noted speed flyer, was injured in an attempted take-off from the Worcester airport.

A soft field prevented Hawks' plane from picking up enough speed to take to the air and it crashed through heavy underground, over rocks and into a stone wall.

Hawks was unconscious when lifted from his wrecked plane. His face was badly cut and bruised and X-ray pictures disclosed nose and jaw fractures which doctors said might result in facial paralysis.

Many Workers Affected

Montreal, Que.—Reductions in mechanical staffs on the Canadian National Railways which went into effect April 9, affected approximately 5,000 men throughout Canada, union officials of the Federated Staff Trade estimated. Special committees are being formed to discuss with railway officials the details of the staff reductions.

Mob Plays Havoc

Premier Squires, Of Newfoundland, Returns After Recent Flight

St. John's, Nfld.—After 24 hours' absence from the city, Premier Sir Richard Squires drove up to his office in a motor car, rushed up the steps and through the door. He was apparently little the worse for the rough handling he sustained while being taken from the Colonial Building to a private house during the recent disturbance, but showed the mark of a bruise on his right cheek.

The disturbance responsible for the unsettled state of political affairs occurred when delay in admitting a delegation from 10,000 citizens, who sought to present a resolution asking for "proper investigation" of charges that the premier had falsified minutes of council, worked the crowd into an angry mood.

Stones were hurled at the windows and the police went into action, using their batons freely. Chaos ensued as thousands of men surged to the building's doors and smashed their way into the basement, whence they hurled office furniture and government documents into the street.

Sir Richard was surrounded as he attempted to reach his car by L. E. Emerson, an opposition member, and several clergymen secured his safety in a private home. Peter Cahill twice spoke from the steps of the building in efforts to quiet the crowd, which finally dispersed and pilaged two liquor stores.

John Helena Squires, who also sits in the assembly, was seen to leave the building with a bandage about her head, in the company of other members. It was believed she had been struck by one of the missiles hurled at the windows from the street.

Changes In Alberta Cabinet Are Indicated

Bill To Amend Legislative Assembly Act Is Introduced

Edmonton, Alberta.—Changes in the Alberta cabinet were indicated by Premier J. E. Brownlee in the Alberta legislature through introduction of a bill to amend the Legislative Assembly Act. The amendment would eliminate the necessity for a member of the legislature returning to his constituency for re-election by the voters after appointment to a cabinet post.

Re-arrangement of the cabinet was planned, the premier said in speaking to the amending bill, but he said he could not say whether there would be any increase in the number of portfolios.

There are seven posts in the cabinet as at present constituted. It is expected that when the cabinet changes are made, Mr. Brownlee will continue as premier and also take the portfolio of provincial treasurer. The post of provincial secretary will go to some other cabinet member.

A new face in the altered cabinet is expected to be Dr. F. S. Girdale, M.L.A., for Olds and principal of Olds School of Agriculture. He is expected to be appointed Minister of Agriculture, a post now held by George Hoodley, who is also Minister of Health.

Foreclosures Prohibited

Approval Of Debt Adjustment Board Necessary In Manitoba

Winnipeg, Man.—No foreclosure proceedings can be taken against farmers by the Manitoba loans board. Premier John Bracken stated in the legislature the board and all other government farm loan agencies had been prohibited from taking foreclosure action without the approval of the debt adjustment board. The premier was replying to criticism of the policy of the board in view of the government's efforts to induce private lending organizations to exercise leniency. He said he believed the farm loan board had been a bit too strict and said he would defend all its actions in enforcing payment.

B.C. Carries Heavy Burden

Victoria, B.C.—British Columbia is taking care of more than four times as many unemployed single men as Saskatchewan and Alberta put together and the problem has become "unbearable," R. W. Bruhn, Minister of Public Works, said before leaving for the Ottawa conference for provincial premiers.

Western Air Services

Calgary, Alberta.—Reports of an international romance culminated April 5 in the marriage of Miss Frances Bosworth, a cousin of former vice-president Charles G. Dawes, and Dr. Trevor Charles Stamp of London, England. The bridegroom is the son of Sir Josiah Stamp, noted British economist, and Lady Stamp. The wedding took place at Evanston, Ill., in the home of the socially prominent Charles H. Bosworth, father of the bride, with numerous members of both families attending. Beaming happily, Sir Josiah and Lady Stamp, with their son, Dr. Trevor G. Stamp, are shown as they arrived at New York. Inset is Miss Frances Bosworth.

HIGHER TAXATION IS IMPOSED TO BALANCE BUDGET

Ottawa, Ont.—With axe and tax, the Dominion is determined to balance its budget. Faced with an increase in the debt last year of \$119,000,000, E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, announced in his budget speech a double-edged policy of drastic increases in taxation and unprecedented slashing of expenditures.

New taxes, designed to increase the revenue of the Dominion by \$55,000,000, were announced as follows: Corporation tax increased from 10 to 11 per cent.

Income tax exemptions lowered and the entire schedule of taxation increased.

Sales tax increased from four to six per cent., with the list of exemptions narrowed.

Excise tax on all imports increased from one to three per cent.

Stamp tax on cheques, money orders, and promissory notes over \$5, increased from two to three cents, and on amounts over \$100, from two to six cents.

Tax on railway sleeping car berths, 10 per cent. with 25 cent. minimum. Chair car tickets taxed 10 cents.

Five cent tax imposed on telegrams, cables, radio messages and long distance telephone calls costing over 15 cents.

Tax of one per cent. on premiums of authorized insurance companies, other than life, marine and farm mutual, whether Canadian, British, or foreign, retaining deposits with the Dominion.

Possibly indicating a special session of parliament later in the year, after the Imperial economic conference in July, only one tariff change was announced by the finance minister. Arrangements under which repair parts for foreign-made farm implements were imported at reduced tariff rates, were extended until March 31, 1937.

With hundreds of people lining the galleries, every member in the chamber leaning forward in rapt attention, a tall, slender man, immaculately clad in black morning coat, delivered his first budget speech. Mr. Rhodes is another in the long line of financiers—he is a son of Nova Scotia—who has directed the financial affairs of Canada. Not a single interruption punctuated his speech, which lasted slightly over an hour.

In announcing his taxation changes, the finance minister said the income tax amendments will apply to 1931 incomes. The \$3,000 exemption for a married man was reduced to \$2,400 and the \$1,500 exemption for bachelors reduced to \$1,200. No change was made in the \$500 exemption for each dependent child. The 20 per cent. reduction now allowed from the gross tax was abolished. In addition, a surcharge of five per cent. was added to the tax payable by all persons and corporations with an income in excess of \$5,000.

The increased sales tax will become effective immediately. The excise tax on imports also was automatic. The insurance taxes will apply to premiums paid after January 1, 1932.

LEADS PROGRESSIVES



Here is a reproduction from the most recent portrait of Harry C. Nixon, Leader of the Progressive Party in the Ontario Legislature.

The special taxes on cheques, telegrams, telephone calls and railway berths, will come into force May 2.

Wielding a drastic pruning knife, the finance minister cut the estimated expenditures for the present fiscal year to \$359,900,000, without considering capital expenditures. Apart from money spent for unemployment relief and wheat bonusing, the corresponding figure in the year just ended was \$404,900,000.

On the other side of the ledger was \$319,100,000—the amount of money existing taxation would gather if left untouched. Obviously this would result in a deficit for the year. Accordingly taxation was increased to a point where an estimated additional total of \$55,000,000 would be collected "thus balancing the current expenditures and leaving a surplus of \$4,300,000."

"In proposing these additional measures of taxation," said Mr. Rhodes, "consideration has been given on the one hand to the ability of our people to bear the extra burden and, on the other, to the absolute necessity of placing our financial house in order."

Few Tariff Changes

Government Left With Free Hand For Imperial Conference

Ottawa, Ont.—While it was generally accepted there would be comparatively few tariff changes, the fact that the budget contained only one tariff resolution came as a surprise. The situation leaves the government with an absolutely free hand for the Imperial Economic Conference in July and to prosecute its policy for intra-imperial empire trade.

The lone tariff resolution extended until March 31, 1932, special lowest duty rates on repairs to farm implements. These lower rates were brought into effect for one year in the 1931 budget of Prime Minister R. B. Bennett.

No announcement was made in the budget on the terms of the proposed new trade treaty with New Zealand. In circles which are well informed, it is officially known negotiations for the agreement are still in the stage of "holding under way" and there has been no definite agreement yet.

Appropriation For Great War Pensions

Sum Of Forty-Eight Million Passed By House

Ottawa, Ont.—The House of Commons has approved an appropriation of \$48,000,000 for Great War pensions. The estimate is \$2,500,000 lower than that of last year, but \$4,000,000 greater than the actual pension payments of last year.

The decrease, Dr. Murray MacLaren, Minister of Pensions, said, was more apparent than real. A large sum had been estimated last year in the belief that a large percentage of those who had commuted their pensions would be reinstated. The numbers were not as great as anticipated, with the result that the estimate had greatly exceeded requirements.

The department now estimated, on the basis of experience, that 2,000 commuted pensioners would be reinstated in the present fiscal year; and the appropriation was drawn up in that expectation.

Move For Gas Franchise

Would Supply Saskatchewan Cities From Turner Valley Field

Calgary, Alberta.—Negotiations to obtain the gas franchise in Regina, Saskatoon and Moose Jaw, with a view to supplying these cities with Turner Valley gas, will start shortly, according to R. J. Hutchings, independent oil operator.

This new move was made feasible, he states, by the passing of a resolution in the Alberta legislature permitting export of gas not required for use in the province.

Even if Turner Valley's gas flow was restricted to 100,000,000 cubic feet daily under conservation plans, it would be possible to export gas to Saskatchewan, he declared. Other oil men expressed their approval of the gas export measure passed in the legislature last night, believing it would mean a boost for Alberta's gas fields.

Government Asked To Assist Olympic Team

Funds Required For Trip To Los Angeles This Year

Montreal, Que.—A delegation of eight members of the Canadian Olympic Committee have gone to Ottawa to interview the Minister of Finance, E. N. Rhodes, on a question of funds to enable the Canadian Olympic Team to make the trip to Los Angeles this summer. Members of the delegation included P. J. Mulqueen, Toronto; J. I. Morin, Winnipeg, and J. W. Hamilton, Regina.

DENIAL IS GIVEN BY FERGUSON TO ALL CHARGES

Ottawa, Ont.—G. Howard Ferguson, Canada's high commissioner to the United Kingdom, appeared before the Senate's Beuhamois committee "with the sole object of vindicating his own integrity," he said. Travelling from Canada House, London, England, to Ottawa, the high commissioner presented evidence which, in brief, denied any connection between himself and the largesse of Robert O. Sweeney, former president of the Beuhamois Power Company.

Mr. Ferguson's testimony was prompted by the statement made some weeks ago by Senator Andrew Haydon. Some time early in 1929, the senator had testified, Mr. Sweeney had informed him he had a power contract lined up for Beuhamois with the Ontario Hydro Electric Commission. But Mr. Ferguson, then premier of Ontario, would not let it be signed, according to Mr. Haydon's evidence, until he (Mr. Ferguson) "got \$200,000."

To this the high commissioner gave unqualified denial. No conversation he had ever had with Mr. Sweeney could possibly bear such an interpretation. He had met Mr. Sweeney only twice, the first occasion at a period long before power contracts were thought of, and the second when negotiations were in progress with Premier Taschereau of Quebec, respecting export of power.

The "\$125,000 in bonds" given to John Aird, Jr., of Toronto, by Mr. Sweeney in December, 1929, was mentioned in cross-examination. Mr. Sweeney's evidence was that this money was destined for the Ontario Conservative Party. Of that Mr. Ferguson knew nothing, he said, beyond what he had read in the newspapers. The high commissioner was closely questioned on this point by R. S. Robertson, counsel for Senator Haydon.

BRITISHERS IN DOMINIONS AND UNEMPLOYMENT

London, England.—The question of emigrants from Britain who have gone out to the Dominions and in certain cases now find themselves in a bad plight was again raised in the House of Commons, when J. H. Thomas, Secretary for Dominion Affairs, replied that migrants had taken the risk and the Mother Country will not take the responsibility of bringing them back home, where unemployment was equally as bad as in other parts of the Empire.

The question was raised by Morgan Jones, Labor member for Ceredigion, who asked that assistance be given to employed British migrants in Australia who are in a distressed condition.

Mr. Thomas said while there was every sympathy for the distressed British migrants in Australia it was impossible for the British Government to provide assistance for their return passage.

Morgan Jones asked whether any provision had been made by any Dominion Government to relieve the distress of such migrants as were suffering.

The minister said he had found no justification for the complaint that Dominion Governments were differentiating between native born and migrants in relief measures. Relief was given according to the scale applying in the respective Dominions.

"There are still thousands anxious to go to the Dominions," Mr. Thomas said, but he believed it was no use encouraging them to migrate during the economic depression of the world. He attached "some importance to some Imperial policy which will help." This was a reference to the fact the question of Imperial migration will be discussed at the Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa.

Britain Gets Reply From Irish President

But Contents Of Note Have Not Been Made Public

London, England.—J. H. Thomas, Secretary for Dominion Affairs, announced that the British Government has received the reply from President Eamon de Valera of the Irish Free State to its representations that the oath of allegiance and the payment of Irish land annuities to the United Kingdom of the Irish treaty and its accompanying financial arrangements.

Asked by James Maxton, member of the Independent Labor Party, to disclose the contents of the Irish note, which is understood to maintain the Free State Government's position the oath should be abolished and the land annuities retained, Mr. Thomas replied it was not customary to disclose the contents of such documents without agreement of both governments.

The British Government should have full time to consider the reply before its publication, the minister added.

May Call Special Session

Parliament Might Assemble In Fall To Deal With Tariff Matters

Ottawa, Ont.—The absence of any important tariff changes in the budget brought down by E. N. Rhodes in parliament is giving rise to conjecture as to whether a special session will be called this fall to deal with tariff matters. In Government circles it is declared that it is much too early to predict a special session. It all depends upon what develops at the Imperial Economic Conference to be held in Ottawa this summer. It may be found advisable to bring any agreements entered into at the conference into effect as early a date as possible and this could only be done by calling parliament together.

Special sessions have rarely in Canadian parliaments. A special session was held in August, 1914, when Canada entered the war. Another special session was held in 1930 following the election of the Bennett Government, to deal with the unemployment emergency.

New Taxes In Effect

Ottawa, Ont.—Instructions to customs collectors, issued by the Department of National Revenue by telegraph, take cognizance of the budget changes. Collectors are informed to "take all entries subject to amendment," and enumerates the various alterations. The increased excise taxes became effective April 7.

About three-fourths of the platinum jewelry made in the United States is made in New York State.

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Jas. Milne, Prop. Phone 46 Blairmore, AlbertaJoe Pietraszko was down from
Canal Flats during the past week.The Alberta legislature postponed
on Wednesday of last week, following
a session of nearly nine weeks.Inspector Humby, formerly stationed
at Fernie, is being transferred
from Lethbridge to Red Deer.A mah at Amherst, N.S., was
given three years imprisonment for
stealing three hens.An average wife is one who loves
and respects her husband, but still
always has a feeling she might have
done better.Constable Carter, formerly station-
ed at Cardston, has been transferred
to the R.C.M.P. detachment at War-
ner, to be succeeded at Cardston by
Corporal Fleming.Dominion tax changes, as announ-
ced at Ottawa a few days ago, include
a five cent tax on telegrams, cables
and radio messages, and long distance
calls. On railway sleeping car berths,
the tax will be ten per cent, with a
minimum of 25 cents, and ten cents
on chair car tickets.The interior of the Chardon store
has been very nicely renovated.Miss Bessie Passmore was down
from Cranbrook last week end on a
visit to her parents and sister Nina.Robert Livett, president of District
18 of the United Mine Workers of
America, is in The Pass this week.Mr. Berry, provincial manager of
the Metropolitan Life Insurance
Company, is in The Pass this week.A number of Oddfellows from Cole-
man, Blairmore and Bellevue attend-
ed the big get-together at Macleod
on Thursday evening last.Members of the Lethbridge board of
Trade are motoring through the
Crows' Nest Pass today, and at noon
were guests of the local board at
luncheon at the Greenhill Grill.Rev. Father Ambrose Madden, O.
M.I., parish priest of St. Mary's con-
gregation at Cranbrook since Septem-
ber, 1929, is being transferred to St.
Patrick's parish at Lethbridge. His
successor at Cranbrook will be Rev.
Father Stephen Murphy, of New
Westminster, formerly of Cranbrook.

Local and General Items

Spring cleaning is all a-swing at
the Windsor Hotel at Lundbreck.Paul Von Hindenburg has been re-
elected president of Germany.Inspector K. Duncan, of the R.C.
M.P., Lethbridge, was in The Pass on
Sunday.Murray Saunders, of Calgary, was
a caller on The Enterprise this fore-
noon.The Blairmore Colliery will give a
dance at the Greenhill Grill on Wed-
nesday night next.Nordogg miners voted 104 against
and 62 for the new agreement with
the Brazeau Collieries, Ltd.A TEA will be held at the home
of Mrs. L. L. Morgan, in aid of the
Blairmore Wolf Cubs, from 3 to 6
p.m. on Saturday, April 16th.The second of a series of whist
drives, under auspices of the Colum-
bus Club, will be held in the Colum-
bus hall tomorrow night.R. B. Bennett was at one time, at
least, interested in the making of
matches. And why is it he's still a
bachelor?An exchange remarks: A centenar-
ian claims to have kept her complex-
ion by putting nothing on it. If
some women would put less on theirs,
they would look less like centenarians.At Sunday evening's service at the
United church, the junior choir sang
one of their Musical Festival test
pieces, for which they were awarded
second prize. The choir contains
fourteen well blended voices.In connection with the recent re-
port of Musical Festival awards, it
might be stated that, although the
Hillcrest violin and piano ensemble
had been entered, they did not com-
pete. The Bellevue ensemble won 57
marks.In our last issue, an error crept,
stating that Richard Lorenz had been
given five years for entering and
robbing the F. M. Thompson Co.
store. Should have read three years,
the term requested by Lorenz, as he
wished to learn a trade.The many friends of Mr. John Har-
ron, of Pincher Creek, will be pleased
to learn that he has so far recovered
from his recent attack of illness as
to be able to get outdoors, and is
feeling so fit that he would like to
enter upon a political campaign.The attractiveness of the Blairmore
tourist campsite has been greatly en-
hanced for this season by the erec-
tion thereon of eight one and two-
room bungalows. These have been
built during the winter months by
Mr. A. W. Robbins, who will operate
them this season. Each bungalow is
nicely furnished with stove, beds,
tables, etc.At a meeting held in L. Pozzi's of-
fice last week, it was decided to re-
organize the Blairmore Baseball
Club. Joe McDougall was re-elected
secretary-treasurer, with James
Montalbetti as team manager. It
was decided to form a club under the
name of Blairmore Ball Club, and af-
filiate an all-star team to be known
as Ford V-Eights. A challenge is to
be issued to Cardston for the insur-
ance cup. The new Ford V-Eights
uniforms have been ordered. A lively
season is anticipated.The lives of five Blairmore police-
men were wiped out in a rather tragic
manner on Friday last. Large num-
bers of citizens were out to tender
their respects and sympathy to the
departed, who had served the town
for the greater part of three years.
Instead of a hearse, the town's trac-
tor was brought into action, and each
officer, dead, was chained by the
neck and dragged to his last resting
place, several blocks away. These
"silent" officials were erected some
two or three years ago at consid-
erable cost.

Common Table Salt

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Drink plenty of water with pinch
of salt. If bloated with gas add a
spoon of Aderika. This washes out
BOTH stomach and bowels and rids
you of all gas. Blairmore Pharmacy.Truro, Nova Scotia, had a foot fall
of new snow on April 7th.Some very elaborate improvements
have been effected to the interior of
Colombo's ice cream parlor.P. M. Christophers, of the provincial
mines department, was a visitor
to The Pass last week end.Mrs. (Corporal) Weaver and chil-
dren left Monday for their new home
in Lethbridge.A. C. Bowness has taken over the
Leask Transfer Company at Cran-
brook.LOST—A small jet brooch, with
painted centre, at Greenhill Grill.
Finder please return to Enterprise
and receive reward.Jack O'Neill and family returned
home Sunday afternoon, after spend-
ing the week end at Sinclair Hot
Springs—Kimberley Press.Mr. Watkins, of the government
vendor store, Coleman, is on vaca-
tion, and is being relieved by Mr.
Patterson, of Calgary.Coleman miners voted practically
2 to 1 yesterday against appointment
of a new committee to interview the
operators.Eather Robbikah Lodge at Fernie
celebrated its twenty-fifth birth-
day last week with a banquet, which
was attended by more than 120 Oddfel-
lows and Rebekahs.Mr. and Mrs. R. W. H. Pinney
left by motor for Edmonton on Sat-
urday morning last, where on Mon-
day they attended the general hos-
pital graduating exercises, at which
Miss Alice Hornquist graduated.The owner of a midge car drove
to a filling station and asked for a
pint of gas and two ounces of oil.
"Okay," said the attendant. "Now,
would you like to have me sneeze in
the tires?"Another of Alberta's pioneers, in
the person of Mr. J. G. Swinney, who
came to the Cowley district over
thirty-one years ago, departed this
life on April the 7th, at the ripe old
age of seventy-eight years. His re-
mains were laid to rest in the Fish-
burn cemetery on Saturday after-
noon, besides those of his wife, who
predeceased him by several years.
Floral offerings were beautiful, and
the church was packed to standing
when Rev. Mr. Whitmore, of Pincher
Creek, performed the last sad rites.BLAIRMORE SCHOOL
DISTRICT NO. 628NOTICE is hereby given that I,
through my agent and Bailiff (Mr.
J. A. McDonald) in this behalf, have
seized the following goods, chattels
and effects of Hong Par Thom, of
The Royal Cafe, Blairmore, to sat-
isfy the sum of \$78.30, with costs of
distress, being the amount of Taxes
due to Blairmore School District No.
628 in respect of the Stock-in-Trade
assessed against him for the years
1930 and 1931:STOCK—Consisting of pipes, to-
bacco, cigars, cigarettes, lighters,
holders, pouches, school scribbles,
pens and pencils, chocolate bars,
candies, chewing gum, breakfast
foods, biscuits, assorted collection of
canned fruits, meats, fish, vegetables,
sauces, catsup, pickles, jams, soups,
cups, saucers, plates, platters, knives,
forks, spoons, pots, and pans; and
The interest of the said Hong Par
Thom in all the restaurant fixtures,
furniture now in and upon the said
Royal Cafe premises.AND NOTICE is hereby further
given that I will cause the said goods,
chattels and effects (or so much
thereof as may be necessary to pay
the taxes assessed with all lawful
costs), to be sold byPUBLIC AUCTION
at the premises known at Royal Cafe,
Victoria Avenue, Blairmore, on Sat-
urday,
23rd Day of April, 1932
at the hour of 10 o'clock in the fore-
noon.ARTHUR J. KELLY,
Secretary-Treasurer and Tax Collec-
tor Blairmore School District No. 628,
Blairmore, Alberta.
Dated this 9th day of April, 1932.

Week-End Grocery Values

BISCUITS

Ginger Snaps, fresh, 2 lbs.....25c
Fig Fingers, per lb.....22c
Lemon or Graham Biscuits, per lb.....22c
Fairy Sodas, family pkg.....19cCreamettes, per pkg.....9c
Macaroni, 1-lb pkgs.....11c
Ontario Cheese, per lb.....20c
Dyson's Chow Chow Pickle, jar.....29c
Swift's Pure Lard, 3-lb tin.....97cApples, fancy Wagners, 4 lbs.....25c
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vince of Alberta will have realized
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means of adding revenue to the pro-
vince was a silly move. Sale and
consumption of liquors will be mini-
mized by increasing prices.A teacher asked: "Can any one
tell me the meaning of the word 'col-
lision'?" No answer. The teacher ex-
plained: "When two things come to-
gether unexpectedly; that is a col-
lision." Then the teacher asked: "Now,
can any one give me an example?"
Little Jimmy: "Twins."SEE THE - -
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